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German Democratic Republic Patent Application No. DD 290 198 is not in the English language. Applicants submit herewith a copy of an English language Abstract.

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Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, deemed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the prior art.

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